

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

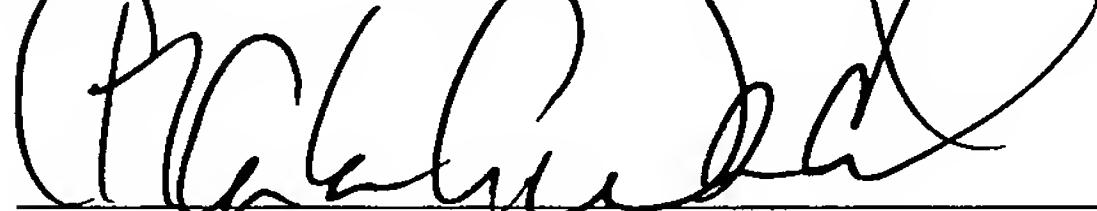
The claims have been amended to eliminate reference to element numbers, to remove multiple dependencies, and to eliminate inclusion of preferred ranges therein. Moreover, new Claims 19 an 20 have been added to present subject matter canceled from Claims 5 and 6 respectively.

~~An early examination of Claims 1-20 is earnestly solicited.~~

~~Respectfully submitted,~~

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